## **NEWS RELEASE**

Today's Date: Thursday, November 9, 2017

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## HIGHWAY SWEEPING ON US HIGHWAY 101 IN PRUNEDALE NEXT WEEK

MONTEREY COUNTY— A sweeping operation in both directions of US Highway 101 from Sala Road to San Miguel Canyon Road will begin Monday, Nov. 13 through Thursday, Nov. 16 from 9 am to 2 pm.

Motorists will encounter alternating moving closures in the No. 2 (right) lane of US Highway 101. Caltrans will operate this sweeper on an alternating basis and will include the shoulders and on/off ramps within the project area.

Electronic message boards will be activated to inform the public about this roadwork. Motorists can expect delays not to exceed 20 minutes. The California Highway Patrol (CHP) will be present to ensure the safety of everyone.

The sweeping of this section of highway will clear debris from storm drains in anticipation of the upcoming rainy season, maintaining safety for motorists this winter. This roadwork is being performed by the Salinas Area Maintenance crew.

## Caltrans reminds motorists to move over and slow down when driving through highway construction zones.

For more information on this project and for traffic updates on other Caltrans projects in Monterey County, residents can call the District 5 toll free number at 1-831-372-0862 or can visit our website at: http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/paffairs/release.htm#mon



